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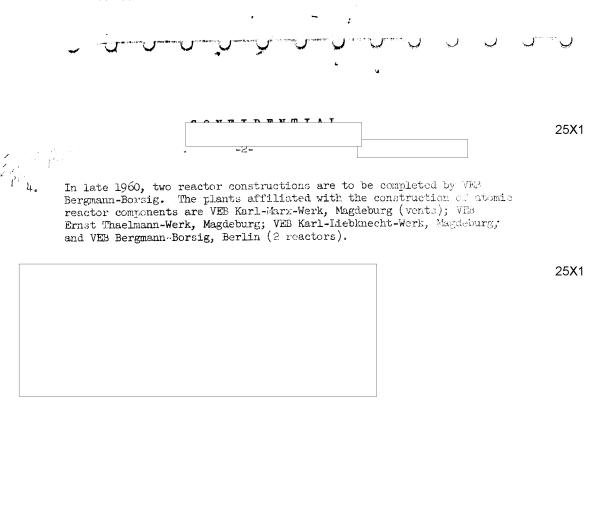
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SUBJECT	VEB Schwermaschinenbau "Erns Magdeburg: Experimental Bui Welding for Reactor Material	lt-up	25X1	
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2.	Schwermaschinenbau "Ernst The sum of 1 million DME for overcome production bottlen introduction of gypsum-sulpare for the increase of sultions have been constructed	une 1958, a research and development office was set up in the VEB ermaschinenbau "Ernst Thaelmann", Magdeburg. This office was allocated sum of 1 million DME for 1959 to modernize current production, to come production bottlenecks, and to expand production through the oduction of gypsum-sulphur (Gipsschwefel) installations; these latter for the increase of sulphur production in East Germany — two installas have been constructed for Wolfen.		
3•	to 330 million DME; the inc of the gypsum-sulphur insta	the total production of the Schwermaschinenbau is to be increased lion DME; the increase is mainly to result from the production osum-sulphur installations and equipment for the fertilizer the cement equipment program, which originally was to have been remains unchanged. Production is expected to be increased also broduction of a foil-rolling mill and modernization of stranding		

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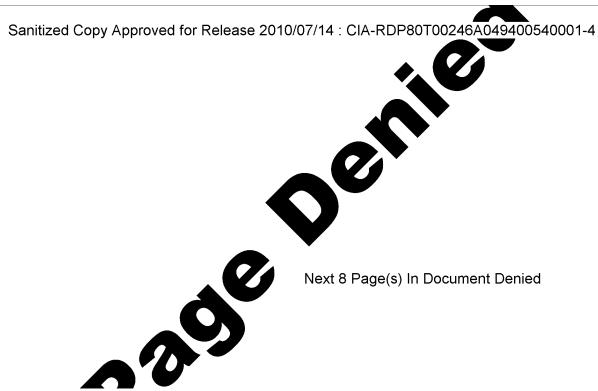
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